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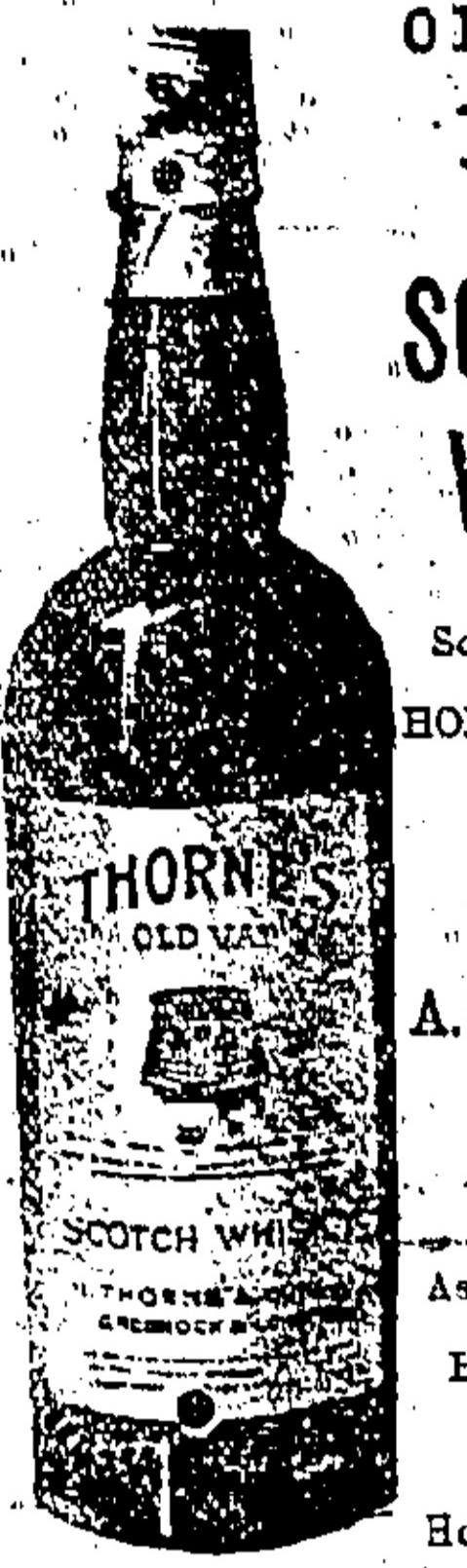
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Leforts Knob, Esq., Hongkong, Canton, Macao and the Philippines.  
B. W. Tapu, Esq., District Secretary.  
Alexandra Building, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, November 16, 1909.

ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

Seven gamblers were fined \$3 each, at the Magistracy to-day. Detective Sergeant West affected the arrest in Yen Wo Lane.

An American sailor from U. S. S. Wilmington was fined \$7, at the Magistracy this morning for refusing to pay his rickshaw fare.

A dispute arose in the Central market on Friday morning, between two coolies who were sweeping the market with the result that one was fined \$5, at the Magistracy to-day for assault. The story told is that the coolie who was assaulted was sweeping too energetically for his assailant who remonstrated with him but as he still persisted in doing his duty thoroughly the assault was committed.

Wholesale petty thieving is going on in the Colony and it is with difficulty that some of the thieves are caught. However as a result of police efforts a boy employed at No. 7 Morrison Hill Road was brought to justice, at the Magistracy to-day, when Mr. E. R. Halifax sentenced him to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour for stealing two bags of sugar. It appears that he was sent by his master to execute an order at a godown in Fung Toi Lane and having despatched the coolies on their way with the goods he obtained other coolies and was in the act of despatching with the sugar when a detective arrested him.

CAPTAIN SCOTT'S EXPEDITION.

Selecting the Crew for the Coming Adventure.

No vessel afloat will have a finer crew than the Terra Nova. Captain Scott's ship for the South Pole expedition, when she leaves the West India Docks early in June. It will be the best crew it is possible to obtain anywhere, said a member of the expedition last month.

Each day now, by twos and threes, the men are reporting themselves for service at the offices of the expedition and being sent down to the docks to the vessel. All are picked men selected by Capt. Scott himself, from the many depots of Portsmouth and granted special leave by the Admiralty for the expedition. Most of them are first-class petty officers who have seen service in His Majesty's ships in all quarters of the globe. A few of them accompanied Capt. Scott in his dash to the south in the Discovery. Every one of the crew has been specially examined as to physical fitness. All are stalwart, deep-chested men, with arms and muscles capable of any human feat of strength. Their teeth have been particularly looked to, for good sets are essential.

The Terra Nova is at present having her boilers improved and is being prepared to take on board the vast quantities of foodstuffs and stores of all kinds to be delivered in May. Mr. C. H. Steers, the manager of the traveller, has completed the purchase in Eastern Siberia of 1000 deer skins and 27 Siberian ponies for the above expedition. These animals will be shipped in New Zealand and picked up by the Terra Nova.

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There will be no morning steamer from Macao or afternoon steamer from Hongkong on SUNDAY, 29th inst.  
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HOTEL MANHAMS, (FIFTH FLOOR).  
Hongkong, January 1, 1909.

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Hongkong, May 8, 1910. 572

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Hongkong, May 25, 1910. 583

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## SCOTTISH SPORT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

EDINBURGH, May 3.

CLOSE OF THE FOOTBALL SEASON.

Looking back on the football of the past season, it may be said that in the two great matches our representatives did their sportsmen credit. Incidentally, they restored the waning credit of Scottish forward play. Both on a heavy ground at Blackburn and on a fast pitch at Glasgow the Scottish forwards played football that was at once pretty and dangerous. As of late years we have had too much prettiness and too little danger, the change was as welcome as it was timely.

THE GETTING OF GOALS.

It would be the best thing that could happen to the club game in Scotland were the secret of the combination of the two qualities to be passed on from the Internationalists to Dundee and Aberdeen, Tyneside and Easter Road, Cathkin and Firhill. We have clever forwards galore. What we want is men who can translate their cleverness into scores. We have the best English method of training and playing England that has passed into Scotland an ever increasing want of power to get goals. Some of the time spent by the average football professional in playing cards might, with advantage, be spent kicking the ball at a mark in the goal mouth, in placing corner kicks, and in mastering the art of taking the penalty kick. All these things the Celtic forwards have done a lot for football in the North, and their colours are always popular.

Isham came too late. Many people thought it would have been a great thing for football in Scotland to have Dundee's holding of the Cup followed by Falkirk's custody of the flag. But it was not to be. OTHER CLUBS.

Of other clubs, Rangers were frankly disappointing through the season.

Aberdeen, however, were fairly consistent, well to the Northerners.

Queen's Park deserved to be the closing champions, but the Amateurs beat them in the last matches they did well. It would have been a thousand pities had the Amateurs been at the bottom, or next to last. They have done a lot for football in the North, and their colours are always popular.

THE TARTAN.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

WE have this day REMOVED our Offices to 5, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, Chater Road, Iethers occupied by the National Bank of China.

E. S. KADOCIE &amp; CO.

Hongkong, May 14, 1910. 625

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Hongkong, May 23, 1910. 636

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Hongkong, May 19, 1910. 639

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Hongkong, February 14, 1910. 24

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Hongkong, August 3, 1909. 977

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Hongkong, April 12, 1910. 684

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Hongkong, April 12, 1910. 684

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AUCTIONEERS  
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VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD  
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Comprising:—  
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Hongkong, May 3, 1910.

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COMPANY.

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And we are prepared to accept Orders for FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE (European and Chinese Risks) at Current Rates.

MELCHEZ & CO., Insurance Dept.

Hongkong, February 4, 1910.

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL BONDS AT THE DECEMBER 1909.

£18,114,624.

Authorised Capital £2,750,000.

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**CITY CHAT.**

(By A. A. M. in Punch)

"I want to be rich," said Charles  
thoughtfully.

"Then buy rubber," said Algernon from  
behind his evening paper. "Sell your  
holding in Tapioke and buy rubber."

"How do you buy it?"

"I don't know. I'm a child at business.  
I think you go to the telephone and just  
buy it."

"You don't want any money—only  
a lispish voice."

"Have you ever made money on the  
Stock Exchange or anywhere?"

"Never. Oh, well, I once made a penny  
on the Post Office Savings Bank. My  
father, with the idea of encouraging thrift,  
put in a pound for me when I was fourteen.  
Nothing further happened until I was  
fifteen when I drew it out again. Interest  
of a penny had been accruing all  
this time, but I never applied for it."

"In a thousand years that penny will  
come to—to quite a lot at compound  
interest."

"Yes, we used to work it out at school.

It was about four million billion pounds.

I half-loved it for you, Charles; and in the  
event of your death to the Middle Classes  
Defence League. I trust that they will  
spend it wisely."

Charles was silent for a long time.

"I don't understand," he said at last.

"What this rubber boom means."

"Why should rubber keep on going up in price  
so much?"

"Because so many more rubber trees  
are being planted," suggested Algernon.

"No, that must be wrong," he admitted.

"What is rubber used for except for  
rubber golf balls?" There's no new  
use for it, is there?"

"Not, with 'Welcome' on them are  
they made of rubber. I'm ordering one  
with 'Goodbye' on it. It will be placed  
in a side door where it catches the  
eye, and will be made entirely of  
rubber."

"There are golobes, of course."

"No, sandwiches. A thin slice of  
meat and two pieces of dry bread, please." Yes, there are plenty of ways  
of doing it.

"These are all the same old ways.

That's what worries me."

Why he worried about it at all?" asked  
Algernon. "All you've got to do is to take  
advantage of it, and buy shares in the"—he  
referred to his "In the Burmese Development Company, Limited."

"It is, that's a good one?"

"The very best. Our old friend Colonel  
John French, late of His Majesty's Indian  
Army, and now of Ravenscourt Park, is  
a director. Also Lieutenant Wilberforce  
of the Royal Navy and Addison Road. Also  
Mr. John Oppenheimer. These names always  
sound well with such lenses."

"I never heard of them before."

"Neither have I. But they sound exactly  
right. Profit and shrewdness simply come  
from their proximity from the first two, and  
shrewdness from the other."

Yes, but how much rubber oozes from  
them? That's what I should want to  
know."

"Dear Charles, you are very hasty.

How can rubber ooze before the trees are  
grown up?" How can trees grow up  
before they have been planted? How can  
they be planted before the estate has been  
cleared? How?"

"But if there's no rubber—"

"I hadn't finished. How can the estate  
be cleared before it has been bought?"

How can it be bought before you, Charles,  
have come out with the money? Now you  
see."

Then it will be years before any rubber  
is ready for sale at all?"

"Years. But what a harvest, when it  
comes! In 1920, it says here, they expect  
to produce 500,000 lbs. of rubber at four  
shillings a pound."

"But I can't possibly wait till 1920."

Hang on, that's an awful long time. I  
always thought one made money on the  
Stock Exchange much more quickly than that."

Algernon looked at him compassionately.

"My poor friend, how little you seem  
to know. You talk as if you really wanted  
a piece of India-rubber, and would have to  
wait ten years for it. Never mind about the  
rubber; you buy the shares."

"Look here, I suppose you know that I  
don't want to spend money. I want to  
make it."

"Quite so, and I didn't say you pay for  
the shares. I said you'd get them."

"I'll pay for it, then. I'll buy it."

"I'll pay for it. To-morrow, perhaps,  
some old-friend contractor lays in a new  
stock of sandwiches; or there is a great  
festival for wedding cakes, or I buy my  
share of the rubber. And naturally the price  
goes up still further."

Next morning there is a photograph in *The Daily Mirror* of a man who has made

£10,000 in three weeks over rubber.

Of course, hundreds of its readers run  
up to the same; up go your shares again.

In the afternoon a speech is made at the Stock  
Exchange, that the "shares" shoot up still further.

Charles, however, is not so easily taken in.

"I'm not so easily taken in," he says.



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MEMOS FOR MONDAY.

Auction.

2.30 p.m.—Action of Household Furniture at Harperville, 9, Garden Road.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, May 31:—  
11 a.m.—Action of Goods & Chattels at 88, Queen's Road Central.  
Noon—Meeting of Watson & Co., Ltd.

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of H. Price & Co., Ltd.

WEDNESDAY, June 1:—  
2.15 p.m.—Meeting of the Licensing Board.  
2.30 p.m.—Action of Household Furniture, etc., at Messrs Hughes & Hough's Sales Rooms.

2.30 p.m.—Action of Japanese Curios at Mr. Geo. P. Lamerton's Sales Room.  
2.30 p.m.—Action of 4 Fox Terrier Pups at Mr. Geo. P. Lamerton's Sales Rooms.

THURSDAY, June 2:—  
Exchange Banks Cleared.  
2.30 p.m.—Action of Household Furniture, at 5, Queen's Gardens.  
5.30 p.m.—Balloon Ascent.

The China Mail

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1910.

THE JAPANESE TARIFF.

The Chiga Association in London has evidently taken to heart the criticisms passed at the last annual meeting upon its seemingly lethargic tendencies during the past twelve months. It has seriously taken up the matter of the new Japanese tariff as it will affect British trade and has evidently made out such a convincing case that even *The Times*, which of late years has been extremely partial to all things Japanese, has endorsed the criticisms of the Association as being worthy of the consideration of the authorities in Tokyo. There can be little question that Britain's trade with Japan will be seriously menaced if the proposed tariff goes into operation without any amendment of its schedules.

As a writer in the *Standard* recently pointed out, Japanese returns show that in 1908 the imports from the United Kingdom amounted to 107 million yen (\$10,800,000), of which textiles amounted to nearly £3,500,000 and machinery to more than £2,000,000. The changes proposed in the textile schedule are in the nature of an alteration in the incidence as well as the amount of the duty. Hitherto cloths have been subjected to a tariff based on square yardage; this is to be replaced by a complicated weight rate of duties. The effect on certain classes is shown in the following table:

Present duty ..... Proposed duty.

Per 24 in. wide, Per 30 in. wide.

Army Cloth ..... 3.7/10d. 13d. to 19d.

Cotton, all wool ..... 1.7/10d. 4d. to 10d.

Army Cloth ..... 7/10d. 4d. to 9d.

Mohair, Cashmere, etc., pre-shrunk ..... 13d. to 19d. 6d. to 19d.

Cashmere, taned, pre-shrunk ..... 14d. to 2d. 4d. to 1d.

Per 24 in. wide, Per 30 in. wide.

Velvet Italian ..... 2d. to 22d. 2d. to 22d.

Cotton, Italian ..... 14d. to 19d. 4d. to 19d.

Per 14 in. wide, Per 18 in. wide.

Common Grey Herring ..... 6d. 2d. to 1d.

Per 14 in. wide, Per 18 in. wide.

Per 14 in.

## RAMBLING NOTES.

The fluctuations of the rubber market have been watched with considerable interest this week in Hongkong, in consequence of the London settlement, and several plunger I am told (in strict confidence, of course) have had "cold feet" once or twice after a visit from their favourite broker. Curiously enough one does not hear so much nowadays of the big fortunes that were up in Tom Tiddler's ground. Ah, well, and slackday. Some of the money which changed hands so freely during the boom has stuck in considerable quantity in certain hands, but the big school of speculators have not found it to be quite such a good thing as they expected.

Next to rubber, bathing-parties have been the most absorbing topic latterly for the dwellers in Hongkong. These are now in full swing and strange are the adventures which befall some folk, I am told. That wasn't a bad joke which wind, tide, and wave 'played' on the new-winner of the Y.M.C.A. party on Tuesday. I reckon those young gentlemen will be cautious the next time they go out, unless they have the nerve to seek the confines of civilization at a pair of boots and a damp bathing costume. Though when one comes to think of it, such a costume on a warm evening is not so very unacceptable after all.

It was quite another party, I believe, who was returning to the police pier the other evening, and discovering the newly-made ticket office of the "Temporary Police Station," put their heads through the glassy windows and called for "three first return Taipo." What's that? Hongkong is getting into line with the most up-to-date centres of suburban civilization.

This thing next year, I suppose, a picnic down the line to Taipo will be, but one of the consequences of existence and its glorious birth will be taken full advantage of, especially by the youngsters. I wonder if the railway people have yet thought of opening a Tourist Bureau to exploit the scenic beauties of the line!

Talking of bathing reminds me of a good story which Mr G. W. Russell tells in his latest book on reminiscences. He knows the man who built the swimming club was a very unusual person, he was fond of two spinster-aunts down in Hovey Worcester-shire, who was told by a young man, after paying them a visit, that she took a bath every morning. "But my dear," said one of the sweet old ladies, "you don't mean to say that you take off all your clothes?" I can easily imagine the outraged modesty which prompted that remark. Shocking, shocking!

And this reminds me that to a young Frenchwoman belongs the honour of having been the first of her sex to share the fate of man on a first voyage across the equator. The amusing incident occurred during the customary ceremony of crossing the equator on board the liner Oravia which lately arrived in Liverpool. The Frenchwoman in question was a passenger in the ship on its outward voyage. She was going to Valparaiso. There was the usual talk about the ordeal which Father Neptune demanded when the equator was crossed, and so on. It was said she had to go through it. But the French lady determined to undergo it, despite her sex. When the proper time arrived, on January 20 last, she was on the deck, striding about, manlike, in a long fawn esparto, a Panama hat, and a pair of large-sized clock shoes. In accordance with custom she was seized and her face duly bathed and shaved. She murmured no protest, and it was not until, divested of her outer garments and dressed only in a bathing costume, she was toppled head over heels into a tank that the Oravia knew that she had set up a new and unique record.

The gathering in St. John's Cathedral on Empire Day was very gratifying to anyone who loves the British Empire. A more suitable way of celebrating the occasion, in view of the national bereavement, could not have been devised. Now I would suggest that in view of the Coronation next year, no steps should be taken in Hongkong to imitate the Empress Regent in which the children can take the part promised, with the Botanical Garden as the background. If Yokohama with its small British community could get up such a scheme this year (unfortunately the King's death has led to its postponement) surely Hongkong can do it. It only needs a capable organiser with a small but resolute committee and the thing can be realised. Of course every one knows that the ideal committee consists of three, with two members permanently absent. But Hongkong need not go on quite such meagre lines. If only certain ladies would meet together informally at first, then gradually invite certain gentlemen to join their counsels, and when their plans are somewhat advanced take the general public into their confidence, Hongkong could be provided with an Empire Pageant on Empire Day in the year of King George's coronation which will go down in local annals as something worthy of the place, the race, the time.

I am indebted to a valued correspondent for the following unique specimen of King George's handwriting:

Dear Mr. —

But to tell you as I have undertaken from the advertisement, as you seem to employ one of the committee and like very dexterous and can speak English to, instead that a job man as "I. C. C.," so that I write this letter for ask to remove that post as I can speak some English and I have settled the job works in the job room about eight years. Evidly, if you do not believe me better you try me for a job of what you have getting now.

Formerly, few months ago I am very much obliged as you are so kind to employ me again as to substitute for the "Old Man" in your office. But I quite trust that my works earning out are satisfactory as in present employment. Well, what I am getting now only twenty dollars monthly it seems to me very hard to provide myself and my family on the account of all the things are very dear, therefore I beg you most respectfully and increase my pay more monthly.

Hoping that you should be glad to look over my application and I will oblige you for ever.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,  
Your obedient Servant

An inspector one day visited a country school taught by a young lady, and in the course of the lesson said: "Now, children, I wish you to take notice of what I do, and

then write an account of it." Then he stepped to the black-board and wrote a sentence upon it. "All the children except one wrote in effect that the inspector came into the school and wrote on the black-board: 'I love a good school.' One little girl, however, followed instructions more literally, the Week End relates, and composed the story, adding: 'And then he went to the platform and down, played with the switch-chain, twirled his moustache, and winked at teacher."

How is this for the sweetest courteous? The Woman—Hans's a wonderful thing. I've just been reading of a man who reached the age of forty without learning how to read or write. He met a woman, and for her sake he made a scholar of himself in two years.

The Man—There's nothing. I know a man who was a profound scholar at forty. Then he met a woman, and for her sake made a fool of himself in two days.

"RAMBLER."

## SPORTING.

## Billiards.

## SOLDIERS' CLUB TOURNAMENT.

Great interest is being taken in the match between the R.E. "A" and the Buffs team and last night the Club Billiard Room was again crowded.

The first game was between Carnell (Buffs) and Goddard (R.E.) and was a very tame affair for the spectators, both players exerting every effort to make safe positions. Carnell played a more open game than his opponent and on several occasions exercised his freedom of position with magnificent chances. In the first hundred the run of the balls favoured the Super and he finished winner by 12 points.

The second game proved to be the break in the sequence of wins for the Engineers. Wallis (Buffs), made the most of every available opportunity and securing the lead from Humber in the first hundred never lost it and won by 35 points. Scores:—

R.E. .... 250  
Sgt. Goddard 250 Arms. Sgt. Carnell 250  
Sgt. Humber ... 216 Sgt. Wallis ... 250  
The Buffs are now 115 points ahead.

## ALLEY BOWLING.

## HONGKONG &amp; KOWLOON.

At the Hongkong Club on Friday evening a two days' friendly match was commenced between teams representing Hongkong and Kowloon. The scores at present are as follows:—

	HONGKONG.	KOWLOON.
O. Wagner	654	559
H. Humphries	559	667
R. Schindeler	667	655
H. King	755	503
S. Snyder	706	596
W. Warbrook	706	596
O. Wiesinger	596	596
Total	5,395	5,226

The match is to be concluded this evening at the German Club.

## QUEEN MARY.

The Times of India—Now Her Majesty has come to the summit of her splendid destiny, the Empire will soon learn that in Queen Mary is another of those great women whose noble careers illuminate the history of the English Monarchy. Queen Mary is the embodiment of the most austere womanly virtue; her devotion to her public duties, no less than to her husband and to her children, stands up the highest plane. Here in India we were privileged to see much of Her Majesty, both in all the panoply of pomp and state, a stately regal figure, gracing each ceremonial with her queenly dignity and charm, yet never disguising that sweet womanly spell which overfilled, whenever she was able to cast State aside—the most splendid manifestation of the power and beauty and influence of womanhood that has ever dawned upon the East. Her Majesty is within a woman of exceptional force of character, and will be a power in English society the like of which has not been known since Queen Victoria passed into virtual oblivion on the death of the Prince Consort. The Court of King George and Queen Mary will revive the traditions of Queen Victoria, adopted to the changed conditions of the day. It will be a Court to which none but those of irreproachable character will have access, a Court which will have nothing in common with the vulgar wealth which has debauched certain sections of English society or the no less vulgar manners which are sometimes mistaken for good form. It will be a Court at the same time maintaining the simple kindly atmosphere inseparable from the character of His Majesty, and of which the whole Empire will be unaffectedly proud. King George and his honoured Queen will enter upon their reign with the loves and sympathy of hundreds of millions of their subjects.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Hongkong Observatory:—

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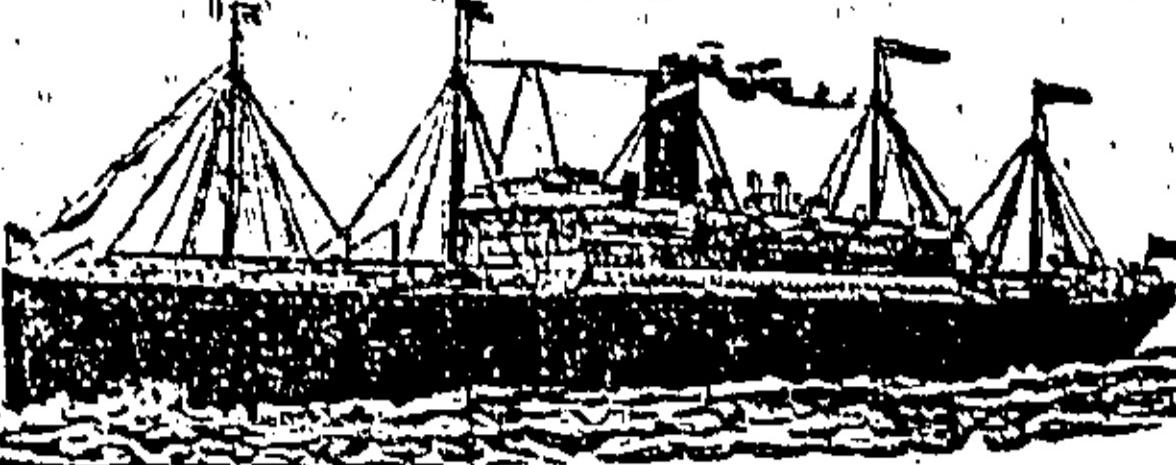
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MANILA	YUNSENG	June 3, at 4 P.M.
+ SHANGHAI, KOBE AND FOOKSUNG	FRIDAY,	June 10, at Noon.
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WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENSIN	HUCHOW	May 29, Daylight.
MANILA	TAKING	May 31, at 4 P.M.
CEBU & ILOILO	KARFO	May 31, at 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI	ANHUI	June 1, at 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI, ZAMBOANGA, and USUAL PORTS	SHAOMING	June 9, at 4 P.M.
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CHURCH SERVICES

St. John's Cathedral

SUNDAY, MAY 26TH, 1910.

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Holy Communion (7.30 a.m.)

Matins (11 a.m.)

Responses, Final: Venit, Ave Maria;

Psalm, Tantum, Eborum; Te Deum,

Litanie, Credo and Hymnus, Beatae

Mater, Lumen, 273, 183, and

180; Presbyter: The Lord Bishop of

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Holy Communion (12.15 p.m.)

Evensong (4.45 p.m.)

Responses, Final: Psalms, Rimbault,

Steiner; Magnificat and Nunc Di-

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Peak Church.

Holy Communion (8 a.m.)

Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Minister: Rev. C. H. Hockling,

11 a.m.—Worship, Hymns 132, 392, 206,

Chant, 5 (Johnston), Anthem, O

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12 noon—Communion, Hymn, 415,

6 p.m.—Worship, Hymns, 202, 106

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Friday 8.15 p.m.—Christian Endeavour Society; Subject: Doing Good.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road,

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